TELEPHONE

run at Pimlico as the third race

this afternoon. Donges finished

RACE RESULTS

PIMLICO.

\$3.10, won; Hallavill, \$4.90, \$3.20, sec-ond; Scatale, \$2.60, third. All go.

SECOND RACE—Pasternl Swain, 55.00, 83.30, 82.90, won; Slippery Elm, 85.00, 83.50, necond; Double Cross, 19.60, third. Scratched—Maryland Belle, Star Court, The Roll Call. Mayor House, King John.

THIRD RACE—Blosnomtime, 257.50, 883.14

Pimlico Entries

Second race; for two-year-olds;

Wigwam, 114; Vanderburg, 117; All

American, 112; Margaret Loretta, 109.

added; for two-year olds; six fur-

longs-(a)Ambler, 113; Rigel, 113;

longs—(a) Ambier, 113; Rigel, 113; (b) Solisa, 110; Brilliance, 114; (c) Atherstane, 115; (a) Blue Hawk, 115; (b) Untidy, 110; Comixa, 110; Bright Tomorrow, 115; (d) Amusement, 112; (a) General Thatcher, 115; (b) Cherry Pie, 122; Sally's Alley, 127; (c) Segovia, 112; (d) Osprey, 113; (a) Nevada stock farm entry.

Harvard, 17; Florida, 0; end second

second and Little Celt third.

Within the Hour"

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TWO CENTS: Where's Hermine,

SULTAN, ANGERED BY ANGORA ACTION, STICKS TO THRONE

Tired and Had Expected to Abdicate, But Now Changes His Mind.

FIGHTING LOSING BATTLE, AS HE IS SHORN OF POWER

Cabinet Gives Up Negotiations With Allies-Russians Mass Troops on Anatolian Border.

By Cable to The Star and Chicago Daily News Copyright, 1922. CONSTANTINOPLE, November 4 .-"I am tired and for a long time have contemplated making room for my successor," declared the sultan to his cabinet at the meeting called hastily yesterday after news of the decision of the Angora assembly to absolve him of power, "but recent events have caused me to change my mind. I am convinced that the bulk of the nation is deeply attached to the sovereign and is only temporarily led astray by a handful of adventurers.

"For these reasons I have decided not to desert the nation, but to remain on the throne. The act of the nationalist assembly has opened a question which does not affect me personally so much as it affects the whole Mussulman world, of which I am the recognized chief. The question of the caliphate and the sultanate are closely connected and are determined by the strict laws of the Mussulman religion. These rules cannot be changed by a few hundred members of the nationalist assembly who are not authorized to represent

the millions of Mussulmans. Not to Send Delegates. The cabinet met in the course o

would continue in power until the persons from their home. assembly should be able to take over

eager to occupy Constantinople at the earliest moment possible, it has been decided by the Angora assembly in the building after Quezedo visits, to establish the capital in the interior according to the policemen, led to of Anatolia and that Constantinople the detention of the teacher. Two is to remain only as the seat of the at the Holm apartment. Miss Holm weeks ago Quezedo attempted to call at the Holm apartment. Miss Holm rejected him. The same night, according to the authorities, a small fire was discovered in the building. Quezedo pursued his love affair. Again last night he tried to see the object of his attentions. Again he was rejected and again a fire started, the investigators assert. A chute led the flames sweeping upward through it.

At the Holm apartment. Miss Holm confidentially to a number of correspondents, who feigned a desire to play golf at their home country clubs during the next few days. They are still sticking here.

This correspondent learned today from official sources that rumors of another witness to the murder at the upward through the five stories as the tenants slept. The flames and smoke were filling the building when Miss Holm woke her mother and led her to the fire escape, where firemen carried her down. The girl turned back, presumably to effect other released the parties under they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" is that they already fear too much of their want to give out the "dope" i

were fired all over Anatolia announc-ing that the sultanate had been abol-ished and that the "most worthy member of the present dynasty re-mains caliph, but the present sultan and caliph, who betrayed the Mussul-

The proclamation was received in Anatolia with outbursts of popular joy, It has been decided that in the future the 3d and 4th of November shall be considered national holidays. The main motive which prompted the nationalist leaders to take this drastic decision in spite of the strong opposition of many mem-bers of parliament was mainly po-litical. The nationalists fear that the allies, in view of the fact that the sultan is the supreme authority in Turkey and that the nationalist as-sembly has not yet been recognized, may raise the question whether a peace treaty signed by the nationalist delegates unaccompanied by rep-resentatives of the Constantinople government will have any value.

Protest Over Allied Action.

It is argued that the Mudania con-ference did not recognize juridically the nationalist assembly and that the convention signed was of a military convention signed was of a military character between military leaders and not by diplomatic representatives. In order to emphasize the fact that the Constantinople government until dismissed by the sultan is the sole legal body the allies invited the sultan's ministers to the Lausanne conference. This aroused a storm of protest in the nationalist assembly and to end once for all an obscure situation it was decided to proclaim that the "sultante is abolished in Turkey and henceforth is only a thing of the past."

of the past."

Mustapha Kemal Pasha met much opposition in parliament, especially from the moderate party, which fears a military dictatorship.

Both commissions replied in accordance with Kemal Pasha's wishes. cordanec with Kemal Pasha's wishes, namely that Turkey must be ruled in accordance with the desires of the people, which in this instance was for government by an elective body, and that the sultan should be declared guilty of treason to the Mussulman world. Futhermore, the legal commission declared that as the Turkish nation will support the caliphate the caliph should be elected by the nationalist assembly.

M. Aralov, the soviet representative at Angora, has notified the nationalist government that the denunciation of the treaty of alliance signed last year will go into effect at midnight of November 30. He added that in case hostilities between the Turks and allies were resumed, Russia would remain strictly neutral. This statement is contradicted by the massing of large Russian forces on the eastern frontier of Anatolia. Though reports that the Russians have already advanced into Turkish territory are premature, the writer learns from reliable sources that five new Russian divisions have arrived in Armenia and the Caucasus from the Ukraine and Odessa.

When asked for an explanation of Soviet Forces on Border.

from the Ukraine and Odessa.

When asked for an explanation of the concentration the bolshevist authorities replied that the Caucasus was better supplied with food than was the Ukraine and that the troops were brought there to go into winter quarters. My informant says that at (Continued on Page 2, Column 5.)

\$4,800,000; transportation, for any sales, \$890,734.38; total, \$20,555,-370.92.

While the transportation, insurance, sales and luxury tax cancellations became effective January 1 of this year, the income tax reduction covers 1921 as well as 1922, and thereafter.

Miss MacSwiney Now Prisoner; De Valera Flees

MacSwiney was among several persons arrested in the Humphries in Aylesbury road here, after a pitched occupants and national army troops,
who were, presumably seeking to arrest Eamonn de
Valera, reported to
be hiding in this
city. The search
failed to reveal the
republican leader.

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lieved to have escaped from the house last night.
Commandant Gen. Ernest O'Malley. one of the most active of the republican leaders, was dangerously wounded and arrested.

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Mme. O'Rahilly, whose husband was killed in the 1916 insurrection, was wounded.

Shiela Humphries, daughter of the owner of the house and niece of O'Rahilly, was slightly wounded. She was arrested.

GIRL DIES IN FIRE;

Rescue of Mother Precedes Tragedy Laid by Police to Unrequited Love.

BLAZE FOLLOWS SCENE

Man Twice Rejected Held in Chicago Case-400 Flee Building.

CHICAGO, November 4 .- The hero ine of an apartment house fire was dead today and her rejected suitor, a the afternoon and sent a telegram to teacher of Spanish, was under arrest the nationalist assembly announcing pending investigation of the blaze that it had decided not to send dele- that swept through a five-story apartgates to the peace conference, but ment building and drove nearly 400

The girl was Bernice Holm, twentythe civil administration. It is not five years old, who saved her mother likely that the nationalists will be and returned to the flame-filled in a position to do so until the allies building and was burned to death. withdraw from Constantinople, and J. C. Quezedo, thirty-seven years the latest events indicate that the old, who twice had been repulsed by powers are unwilling to evacuate the the young woman and ordered from the building was the man held by the police.

Held on Circumstances.

The coincidence of fires starting

rUescues, and disappeared within the building.
Other occupants of the apartment and adjoining buildings were scrambling down stairways and fire escapes. Several of them were scorched as they fied. A chauffeur carried a woman on his back and a baby in his arms as he descended a fire escape. The scene was one of confusion and Miss Holm was temporarily forgotten.

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When the fire had been conquered firemen found the body of the young woman in a hall not far from the window through which she had reentered the building.

Then came the investigators from the fire attorney's office, and the story of Quezedo's quest of love, the two fires and the arrest.

AGED BAPTIST MINISTER

and a score bruised and cut by flying glass when the San Antonio-Dallas express of the Houston and Texas Central railroad crashed into the end of the Waco-Bremond local early this morning. C. W. Willett, 1133 Broadway, New York city, was killed.

The express ran into an open switch, it was stated, and crashed into the rear sleeper of the local train.

SURPRISE COMING, SAYS MRS. GIBSON IN MURDER PROBE

Eyewitness, After Trip, Says She Was Questioned by "a Judge."

INVESTIGATION NOW CONDUCTED SECRETLY

Authorities Shield Activities From Public After Adopting New Policy.

> BY DAN RING, Staff Correspondent of The Star.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., November -Secure from interference by inquisitive newspaper men, officials in charge of Hall-Mills murder investigation are questioning witnesses in secret place, screened from public observation and probably miles from New Brunswick.

Early today Mrs. Jane Gibson, pig farmer and reputed eyewitness of the shooting of Dr. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, returned to New Brunswick from what she said was Brooklyn, after having left town yesterday afternoon on the same train with Lieut. Detective James F Mason. Every train had been watched for her return.
"I have been to Brooklyn to visit

relatives, but I also stopped to see judge about the case," she told ewspaper men "Was it Judge Mott?" she was asked.

'Oh, no," she declared. "It was an other judge." Promises a Surprise.

"What do you think of things now Mrs. Gibson?"

"You'd be surprised," she said in eply. "Why, gentlemen, the story I told the prosecutors about the mur der and the one I have told newspaper men are two entirely different things. When I get on the witness stand you can rest assured there are going to be some big surprises."

She took herself off to her pig farm on Hamilton road, where there is a sign, "Keep out."

Detective Mason was at New Bruns. vick today, but his supervisor, Deputy Attorney General Wilbur A. Mott, has thrown a veil of secrecy over his movements. He is not here. He may be in Newark, but no one can tell his exact whereabouts from one hour to

No Action This Week.

Over the week end there will be no action. This assurance was given

suspicion. Also, it is definitely established that the course of procedure in this case will be grand jury action first and arrest next and not vice versa. Attorney Mott has a much versa. Attorney Mott has a much stronger case inside his head than he will present to the grand jury, it was stated today. It is even possible that only Mrs. Gibson and a few jothers may be called before the grand jury. It is definitely ascertained that a few of the witnesses will be held in reserve for the prospective trial and that only so much of the evidence accumulated as may be necessary for indictment will be placed before the grand jury. before the grand jury.

Politics Again in Air.

Politics is in the air here. It has caused the subversion of the mys-VICTIM OF ASSASSIN tery in popular interest. Until the election blows over during the early part of next week there is expected to be no big move made by the prose-Rev. John Keeth, aged Baptist minbush on his farm near Plain Dealing.
La., today, according to reports received here.
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ONE KILLED, SCORE HURT.

BREMOND, Tex., November 4.—One man was killed, one serjously injured and a score bruised and cut by flying glass when the San Antonio-Dallas express of the Houston and Texas Central railroad crashed into the end of the Waco-Bremond local early this morning. C. W. Willett, 1133 Broadway, New York city, was killed.

The express ran into an open switch, the statements that she had never visited the Phillips farm since childhood, witnesses have reported to the prosecution that they had seen a childhood, witnesses have reported to the prosecution that they had seen a (Continued on Page 2, Column 6.)

\$20,555,370 Taxes Saved D. C. And Maryland by U. S. Cut

BALTIMORE, November 4 (Special). -Reduction in federal taxes, effective the current year. will save taxpayers in the Maryland district (Maryland and the District of Columbia), \$20,555,370, according to an announce ment by Galen L. Tait, collector of internal revenue for the district. The reductions are based on cancellation and decreases in the tax rates pro-The reduction in taxes for 1922 is approximately as follows: Income, \$4,800,000; transportation, \$14,261,-

vided by the revenue act of 1921.

The transportation tax of \$14,261,-660 (freight, \$8,674,151.74; passenger, \$5,538,555.80; express, \$2,017.88; seats and berths, \$41,998.23; pipe line transportation, \$4,937.04) means that from July 1, 1920, until June 30, 1921, \$359,-083,111 was collected in transportation charges alone by the railroads whose headquarters are in the Maryland district. The two largest systems in question are the Southern railway, with headquarters at Washington, and the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, with headquarters in Baltimore.

more.

Of the \$4,300,000 income tax reductions, \$4,200,000 is distributed among 159,000 taxpayers filing returns with incomes less than \$5,000, and \$600,000 applies to taxpayers with incomes exceeding \$5,000. The new exceptions allowed heads of families and for dependents is now \$1,500 and \$400, which means an increased exemption for a married couple with one dependent of \$700, or a saving of \$23.



Officials—Mr. Kelly (Harvard), referee; Mr. Sankhart (Dartmouth), umpire; Mr. Donnelly Trinity), linesman; Mr. Cannell (Tufts), field udge.

Cross opened a battle for the eastern Jesuit college championship in American League Park at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon.

A large crowd was on hand to greet the two teams as they took the field, for Holy Cross has always been a formidable rival and victory for the local collegians is not usually

dinger made a good punt to Kenyon, who was downed on his 7-yard line. Kenyon's return kick was caught by Simendinger, who was stopped in midfield by Sullivan. Glennon and Simendinger got 4 yards between them before the latter punted First race, two-year-olds; purse, \$1,300; six furlongs—Rompinghome, 112; Pat Casey, 112; Lustrous, 114; Pow Wow. 114; Racket, 119; Soggarth Aroon, 117; (a) Noel, 117; Whirlwind, 117; (b) Pettifogger, 112; Virginius, 112; (a) Comixa, 114; Bradley's Toney, 117; (b) Frank G., 117.

(a) E. B. McLean entry. (b) Quincy stable entry.

Second race; for two-year-olds;

Second race; for two-year-olds; the line. Simendinger sent a 40-yard purse, \$1,300; six furlongs—aSegovia, punt to Flavin, and Kenyon, with a 114; Gadfly, 114; Cotrompa, 114; return kick, gave H. C. the ball on the pass intercepted by Flavin on George-torchet, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 112; Marie Blanche, 117; King, Georgetown's end, was hurt in Homestretch, 112; Marie Blanche, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 115; Marie Blanche, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 116; King, Georgetown's end, was hurt in half whistle blew.

Homestretch, 112; Marie Blanche, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 114; Wilkes-Barre, 116; Wilkes-Barre, 117; Scarlet Bugler, 117; King, Georgetown's end, was hurt in half whistle blew.

Score—Georgetown, 0; Holy Cross, 0.

Simendinger kicked to Adams, who came back 7 yards to Georgetown's 29-yard line. Flavin made 5 yards. An offside play then cost Holy Cross 5 yards. Lowe crashed through Cooney to a first down at midfield. Lowe got 3 yards more as the quarter ended. Score—Georgetown, 0; Holy Cross, 0.

Lowe hit into the line for 5 yards, but on the next play an attempted run around right end lost 4. Flavin punted to a touchback. Here, Mc-Mahon, a Washington boy and former Mahon, a Washington boy and former Staunton Military Academy star, was sent in for Glennon, Holy Cross quarterback. After one rush Simendinger punted. Adams fumbled the ball, but recovered it on Georgetown's 36-yard line. Flavin kicked outside on Holy Cross' 25-yard line. Line plays failed and Simendinger punted to Flavin, who ran back 10 yards to Georgetown's 43-yard line.

Beile, Star Court, The Roll Call, Mayor House, King John.

THIRD RACE—Bloanomtime, 237.50, 338.10, 318.10, woni Dongea, 337.50, \$13.90, second; Little Celt, \$12.60, ger, Rigel, Comtan, Neel.

LATONIA.

FIRST RACE—Salvo, won; Tulsa.

Scratched—William Tell, Pettifogger, Rigel, Loveliness third.

Scratched—Little Patsy, Walk Up, Tim McGee, Smuts.

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Flavin punted to McMahon, who dropped the ball, but Simendinger recovered it on Holy Cross' 45-yard line. After two plays, Simendinger kicked 35 yards to Flavin, who was downed in his tracks. McMahon caught Flavin's punt and returned 15 yards to Georgetown's 40-yard line. Riopel and McMahon between them got 6 yards, then Simendinger made a forward pass to McMahon that barely missed a first down. Another line play failed and it was Georgetown's ball on downs on their 32-yard line. Here Georgetown sent DuFour in for Adams and Holy Cross 50 yards to Holy Cross 10 yards 10 yar

ALABAMA SCORES American, 112; Margaret Loretta, 109. aSanford stud farm entry. Third race; Pimlico homebred; \$2,500 SYRAGUSE LEADS NEBRASKA BY 3

Gives Easterners First Advantage.



Syracuse was forced to punt after being set back for holding.
Nebraska could not gain and punted, and Syracuse pursued a similar course. The first quarter ended with the ball in Nebraska's possession on her 40-yard line.
Nebraska could not gain at the opening of the second period and punted. Syracuse found the opposing line invulnerable and Zimmerman punted to the Nebraska 35-yard line.
Liewellyn then got 15 yards around Syracuse's left end.

FIRST ON PENN

Field Goal After Fair Catch Philadelphians Quickly Recover and Forge Ahead, 7 to 3, in Second.

Question on Eve Of Her Wedding

By the Associated Press.
DOORN, Holland, November 4.— Where is Hermine?

This question is agitating the newspaper men here, who are en-gaged in unraveling the tangled preliminaries of tomorrow's wed-ding, in which the Princess of Reuss will become the bride of former Emperor William of Ger-

Scores of journalists today were vainly scouring the countryside in automobiles and watching all likely points for the arrival of the

while one report on excellent authority is that Hermine is at Amerongen, the former residence of the ex-kaiser, other information is to the effect that she will arrive at 8 o'clock tonight at Amersfoort, whence she will motor to Doorn house, staying for the night in the lodge, which stands before the castle, under the guardianship of the aged Pastor Vogel. The ex-kaiser, according to this story, will take supper tonight at the lodge and will breakfast with the princess tomorrow morning.

MANY CUTS MADE

Authorities Call Attention to Process by Which Estimates Are Pruned.

OFTEN CHANGED

Individual Items Are Altered as Legislators Consider the

Measure.

The hazardous path over which the public school estimates must pass on their long journey before being enacted into law was cited today by school authorities as one of the reasons why the school appropriations are inadequate to meet the essential needs of the District educational system. Each of the many agencies which participate in the determination of the school budget, it was pointed out, takes a hand in the cut-

pointed out, takes a hand in the cutting process which it undergoes annually, and when ultimately a law it
is minus many of the original items
of the board of education.

As an illustration of the present
system under which the school appropriations are secured, the officials
referred to the estimates for the current fiscal year. The board of education began the preparation of these
estimates by reviewing the written
statements of school needs, submitted
by the various citizens' associations.

Planning of Budget. Planning of Budget.

Each school officer also made together with two members of the board of education, held hearings on the requests submitted by the officers in order to obtain some idea of the control of the various.

Following this gathering of in-formation the school officers prepared and submitted to the Commissioners July 22, 1921, a school budget calling 32-yard line. Here Georgetown sent Duffour in for Adams and Holy Cross substituted Broussard for Riopel. Adams for Cooney.

Flavin punted to McMahon, who was stopped on his 24-yard line. Burguires for Ray. Young for Butler. Simendinger kicked to Dufour, who got back ten yards to his 42-yard line when he fumbled and Holy Cross forward pass intercepted by Flavin on Georgetown as intercepted by Flavin on George town's 35-yard line. Lowe made to the Commissioners deficions amounting to \$10.

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After receiving and considering the school estimates, as submitted by the school board, the Commissioners advised the school officials that the school estimates should be reduced by \$2,000,000, and invited the school authorities to suggest what items might be reduced with the least detriment to the school system. The school officials submitted to the Commissioners a memorandum indicating possible reductions amounting to \$2,318,920. The Commissioners followed in general the suggestions of the school officials, but made certain reductions and changes not suggested by them. The estimates, as finally sent to the bureau of the budget, totaled \$7,930,-302.24, a reduction of \$2.516,306, in the budget, as submitted by the board of education.

The school estimates, along with

RAILROADS IN FIGHT.

The application of the Southern Pacific railway to retain control of the Central Pacific, notwithstanding the dissolution order by the Supreme Court, was opposed in arguments made before the Interstate Commerce Commission today by representatives of the Hon Pacific system.

ARE FORCED DOWN

diator After Covering 2,060 Miles. LAND NEAR INDIANAPOLIS

Failure Due to Leaky Ra-

AT FORT BENJ. HARRISON Long-Distance Record Broken,

However, Air Service Of-

ficials Believe.

By the Associated Press

DAYTON, Ohio, November 4 .-Lieuts, J. A. MacRendy and Oakleigh Kelly, Army aviators, who were forced to land near Indianapolis Saturday morning after completing 2,060 miles on an attempted non-stop flight from San Diego to New York, arrived at McCook Aviation Field here at 12:15 o'clock today and reported to Maj. T. H. Bane, their commanding

INDIANAPOLAS, Ind., November 4 .-Lieuts. Oakley Kelley and John Mac-Ready, attempting a transcontinental air flight, were forced down at Fort Benjamin Harrison, near here, at 9:15 today. A cracked water jacket is said to have forced the aviators to descend.

According to the officers, the radiator sprung a leak shortly after they left San Diego, but it did not become serious until near Indianapolis. Neither one of the men was injured in the landing, which took place on the military aviation field. The men said they had traveled 2,060 miles.

U. S. AIR OFFICIALS ELATED.

Coast-to-Coast Non-Stop Flight Possibility Held Proved. By their continous flight from San

Diego to Indianapolis in the Army airplane T-2, Lieuts. Macready and Kelly not only have established what is believed here to be a new distance record for non-stop flying, but have demonstrated, in the opinion of air service officials, that non-stop flights from coast to coast are possible. The T-2 had overcome the chief ob-

stacle to the transcontinental trip before it was forced down at Fort Benjamin Harrison by a minor defect. The night flying and the passage over the mountain passes and through the canwritten statement to Superintendent yons of the southwest was the most of Schools Frank W. Ballou, outling the needs of his respective school. was carried through, so far as known here, without incident. It was evident

Twenty-Five Hours in Air.

Observers here who checked the course of the T-2 on the map estimated the distance traversed at upward of 2,100 miles, which agrees with the calculation made by the flyers themselves. The previous non-stop record for heavier-than-air machines is about 1.800 miles. The time required was estimated at a little over twenty-five hours, and the speed of the plane at an average of more than seventy-five miles an hour.

The T-2 was equipped with special gasoline tanks and water tanks for the voyage, and her crew had expected to reach New York within thirty-two hours from the time of departure from San Diego. Once the

Advantage.

Advant

'Our American Adventure' BY CONAN DOYLE

be found on page 9 of Today's Star.